GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
RAILWAYS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:935
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Shifts of Rail Drivers
Singh Shri Pashupati Nath

Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Railways is aware of a survey conducted recently which states that train drivers who drive a single train for more than five to ten hours are getting affected from various kinds of diseases and if so, the details thereof;

(b) whether the Government has also conducted any similar survey;

(c) if so, the details and finding thereof; and

(d) the steps taken by the Railways to give relief to the train drivers from driving trains for more than prescribed hours of duties?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS
(SHRI MANOJ SINHA)

(a) : No, Madam.

(b): No, Madam.

(c): Does not arise.
(d): Duty hours of train drivers is regularly monitored. Whenever required, necessary relief is arranged.
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